

No. 5938. 號三十三百九千五第 日四十月十年子丙緒光 HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29th, 1878. 三拜禮 號九十二月一十英 港香 (PRICE \$24 PER MONTH.

### Intimations:

PERMISSION of Rear-Admiral ROWLEY  
 DIXIE, C.B., commanding the Detached  
 Squadron, and Captain THURF.  
**OFFICERS OF H.M.S. "TOPAZ"**  
 will give  
**PERFORMANCE**  
 THE ROYAL ORY HALL,  
 FRIDAY, the 1st of December,  
 of the kind for the relief of the Widow  
 Orphans of those who perished in the  
 late disaster on board H.M.S.  
 "THUNDERER"  
 will be given the Hibernian Comedy,  
 Three Acts, entitled  
**"PHIS LAST LEGS"**  
 and of H.M.S. "TOPAZ" will perform  
 of the "Thunderer"  
 may be procured at Messrs. LAN-  
 GEBRO & Co.'s, on and after MONDAY, the  
 1st inst., and at the Doors on the Evening  
 of Performance.  
**ADMISSION—TWO DOLLARS.**  
 Hongkong, 25th November, 1878.

**FOR SALE.**  
 To lots at Unit Purchasers,  
**ENGLISH AND AUSTRALIAN STEEL**  
**COALS.**  
 TO COALS FOR HOUSEHOLD USE.  
 ly to  
 L. L. BUSH, 9, Praya Contr.  
 1889 Hongkong, 25th November, 1878

**FOR SALE.**  
 ASSIGNED INVOICE OF  
**EXTRA FINE MADEIRA WINE**  
 ly to  
 HEARD & Co.  
 1815 Hongkong, 17th November, 1878.

**NOTICE.**  
 The Undersigned, formerly residing  
 at Macao, has RETURNED to Canton, and  
 desires to conduct his Business as Usual

Canton, M. F. 1

25th November, 1876. [3d 1894]

A CARD.

F. D. A. SILVA,  
GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT  
TAKEAO AND TAIWANPOO.  
1856 Takeao, November, 1876.

ORIENTAL HOTEL  
WELLINGTON STREET, HONGKONG.  
STOCK HANGERS AND ROSE,  
THE PROPRIETORS.  
TYPED AT OURS, PRINTED AT SEVEN.  
A Sprig, etc., of the Best Quality of  
English; French; and German Spoken;  
BARD ROOMS—HOWLING ALLIES.  
KOW-LOON HOTEL.  
BARD AND THESSALY, BILLIARD  
AND THESSALY, BILLIARD  
AND THESSALY, BILLIARD  
The Bowling Alley is NOW OPEN.  
Visitors requiring Dinners are requested  
12 hours' notice either at the above Ho-

D. N. NOWROOJE, PROPRIETOR.  
1738 Hongkong, 1st November, 1876.

N D H O T  
20, THE BUND,

PROVIDES EVERY FACILITY FOR VISITING  
 BOARDING Ladies' Dining and Sitting Room  
 Private Dining Rooms, &c., &c.  
 RESURROUNDING INTO THE COUNTY  
 furnished with all Information, Guides  
 and Provisions.  
 SALOON ATTACHED TO THE HOUSE  
 551 Yokohama, June 1st, 1878.  
 G. ROGERS, BIRTHDAY-SUITE  
 RETURNED, and is now ready to receive  
 Patients.  
 17 Hongkong, 16th November, 1878.  
 L. THEVENIN.  
 WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT  
 AGENT FOR DR. ST. MARCANTON'S CHAMPAGNE,  
 Depot for Vichy Waters,  
 ED. FINEAU ET CIE'S PERFUMERY,  
 N. ANTOINE ET FILS' LINS, &c., &c.

by each French M  
QUEEN'S-ROAD, HO

**NOTICE.**  
C. C. WILLIAMS' WHARF AND GODOWN will be ready for business from the 1<sup>st</sup> of 1876, for the use of Steamers and Sailers.  
The Godown charges will be made on goods collected in advance for shipment by steamer.  
**SCALE OF CHARGES.**  
Foreign Steamers \$50 Wharfrage, and 3 Cents per package.  
Sailing Steamers \$30 Wharfrage, and 3 Cents per package.  
Foreign Vessels \$20 Wharfrage, and 3 Cents per package.  
C. C. WILLIAMS, Manager.  
F 1057 Swetston, 10th July, 1876.

**NOTICE.**  
**SAILMAKING DEPARTMENT.**  
By reason of the Temporary Absence of MR. W. DOLAN, this Department will be closed.

Supervendence of Experience

ALL Orders in this Branch of Business  
 receive our careful attention.  
**MAORWEN, FRICKEL & CO.**  
 Hongkong, 1st June, 1879.

**Notices to Consignors.**  
**GERMAN STEAMSHIP GALATHEA**  
 Forwards Master, FROM RAMPUR  
 AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNORS of Cargo by the  
 Steamer are hereby informed that  
 the Goods are being landed and stored at their  
 respective Godowns of the Overseas  
 Agents, and that they may be ordered  
 to be removed from the place of  
 delivery of the Goods, and  
 taken to the wharves alongside the wharves  
 for delivery to do so.  
 Goods remaining in store after the 5th

the contrary is given  
DAY, the 28th instar

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
 War. P. & T. & Co.  
 1892 Hongkong, 23th November, 1876  
 CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO  
 EX O. S. S. CO. S.S. JAZZ  
 FROM LIVERPOOL.  
 SHIPPING Orders must be obtained  
 to the Undersigned not later than the  
 1st of November per Steamer DETWALE  
 SUPERSTED & SUTCLIFF, Agents  
 36, 1892 Hongkong, 23th November, 1876  
 BRITISH SHIP FIRE QUEEN, TR  
 LONDON.  
 CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-  
 Vessel are hereby requested to send  
 Bills of Lading to the Undersigned  
 immediately, and to seek immediately  
 the Undersigned for the discharge of the  
 Cargo, to be landed and stored at Consignees  
 expense.







## POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS

*A mail will close*  
For Swatow, Amoy, Fuzhou, and Taiwan  
Per *London*, to-day, the 29th, at 10 a.m. at 7 p.m.  
For Manila, Cebu, Batavia, *Vila de Rivas*,  
to-morrow, the 30th instant, at 1.30 p.m.

**MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET**  
The French Control Packet *PELHO*  
be despatched on **THURSDAY**, the 9th  
instant, with Mails to and through  
Kobe, Yokohama, Hongkong, Canton,  
Singapore, Batavia, Gall, Australia,  
New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, Aden, Seychelles,  
Union, Mauritius, Suva, and Alexandria.

Letters may also be forwarded to India  
on this Packet, but only when in favour of  
Ceylon. The postage to Ceylon must be paid  
on such letters should be marked *India to*  
Ceylon; they will go on from Gall as unpaid.

The following will be the hours of closing  
Mails, &c.:

**WEDNESDAY, 29th instant.**  
5 P.M. Money Order Office closes.  
Office closes except the News-B  
which remains open all night.

**THURSDAY, 30th instant.**  
7 A.M. Post Office opens for sale  
Stamps, Registry of Letters, and P  
of all correspondence.  
10 A.M. Registry of Letters closes.  
11 A.M. Post Office closes except for T  
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**11.10 A.M. Letters** (but Letters only) add  
ed to the United Kingdom or to S  
may be posted on payment of  
Late Fee of 18 cents extra post  
until

11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes.

**MAILS BY THE TORRES STRAITS PACKET.**

The Australia Contract Packet **NORMAN** will be despatched from Honzong on MONDAY, the 4th December, with Mails for Singapore, Somerset, Cooktown, Cleveland, Bowen, Keppel Bay, Brisbane, Sydney, Tasmania, New Zealand, and Melbourne.

Correspondence cannot be Registered at 11.30 A.M.

Mails will be closed at 11.30 A.M.

Correspondence for New Zealand must specially directed via **TORRES STRAITS**.

The Steamship *OCEANIC* will be despatched on MONDAY, the 4th December, with Mail for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, London, which will be CLOSED as follows:

2 P.M. Registry of Letters ceases.  
2.30 P.M. Post Office closes.  
2.30 P.M. Correspondence may be posted  
board the Packet with Letter  
of 12 cents extra Postage, un-  
2.50 P.M. when the Mail is finally closed.  
Correspondence must be specially directed  
this route, and if not fully prepaid will be  
by British Packet.  
Letters, &c., can be posted for Canada,  
West India, and other places named below.

Co. sufficient American stamps are added to pay for them from San Francisco to destination. American Stamps are sold at this Office.

The charge for Registry is 8 cents in Hong Kong Stamps and 10 cents in U. S. Stamps. These stamps, only the names of which are

those places only mentioned in the above list, and registered in Italy. To all the other places no correspondence can be registered there, but only to San Francisco (8 cents).

The following are the charges on correspondence thus sent:—

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Canada, British Columbia, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward's Island, Vancouver's Island, Bahamas, Nassau, New	8
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with	Aspinwall, Bermuda, Bogota,	
and	Carthagena, Costa Rica, Cu-	
above	bana, Curacao, Fiji, Greenland,	8
	Jamaica, New Granada, Nica-	
	ragua, Panama, West Indies..	
or Lon-	Hawaii, New Foundland.....	8
gated in	Guatemala, Mexico, Salvador,	
principal		

Venezuela.....	8
Belize, Georgetown, Guiana, Honduras, Martinique, Santa Martha, Turk's Island.....	8
Brazil.....	8
Bolivia, Ecuador, Chili, Peru.....	8
Argentine Confederation, Bu-	

enos Ayres, Paraguay, Uruguay } 8  
 Newspapers (not over 4oz.) 2  
 Books, &c., per 4 oz. .... 8  
 Any articles found enclosed in Newspapers or Book Packets (as silk scarves, jewelry) will be detained.

Correspondence can now be forwarded by closed Mails to the United Kingdom, via San Francisco, at the following rates:—

Letters.....	12 cents per 100
Registration.....	8 cents.

Newspapers.....	4 cents
Books and Patterns, 1 oz....	2 cents.
Books and Patterns, 2 oz....	4 cents.
Books and Patterns, every 1 oz....	8 cents.
The Mails close on 2.30 P.M., usually 1st and 15th of each month.	

Registry cannot be effected after 2 P.M.  
The average time of transit to London  
this route is 50 days. The correspondence  
be specially addressed via San Francisco  
insufficiently paid it will be sent via Sweden.

14 P.M. will be no day. address

2. This Regulation prohibits the sending of dutiable articles, unless the quantity sent be so small as to make the sample value.

Agent.

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A.  
TON;

3. The limits of weight allowed are  
as follows:—  
BOOKS AND PAPERS.—To British Office  
PATTERNS.—5lb. if without intrinsic value  
BOOKS AND PAPERS.—To the Continent  
2lb.  
PATTERNS.—8 oz.  
4. The following articles cannot be sent

UTTA.  
STEAM  
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ident. Japan, there is no such thing as a free lunch. Much trouble and disappointment is caused by persistent attempts to send small valuable things through the Post. Fans, Curios, Artistic Dress, Fancy Work, and similar presents continually being refused, the senders often spent more in Postage than would

OVER-PAID the freight on steamer. His return  
ING AT made on such parcels of the value of \$500  
SCU. obliterated before the nature of the cargo  
was discovered.

PATTERNS.

Some difficulty is experienced in obtaining a  
general understanding of what is a Pattern  
and of the various kinds of goods which the

CHARTERS EFFECTED.

The following Settlements have been effected since the issue of Messrs. HEINEMANN & Co's last Freight Circular:—  
Swedish schooner Krenprisa, 500 tons,  
Hongkong and Whampoa to London  
on charter.

French bark *Fan5*, 275 tons, Whampoa to  
bark private terms.  
French bark *Maria Louise*, 425 tons, Ke-  
loh to Hongkong, \$2 per ton of 20 cwt,  
days.  
French bark *Vidal*, 405 tons, Ke-  
loh to Hongkong, \$2 per ton of 20 cwt, 12 day

age and company.  
Y. gent.

British bark *Ellen*, 499 tons, Saigon to  
bays, 20 cents per picul; and hence  
gon, \$800 is full.  
Danish steamer *Norden*, 778 tons, hence  
gon and back, 2 trips, each \$5,000 i  
12 lay days.

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